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ANNUAL REPORT

Town of Kensington

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Fiscal Year Ending
December 31
1962

ANNUAL REPORTS

of the

SELECTMEN, TREASURER, HIGHWAY AGENT,
TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC TRUST FUNDS,
TAX COLLECTOR, TOWN CLERK,
POLICE DEPARTMENT
VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPT., BOARD OF EDUCATION
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of the

Town of Kensington

NEW HAMPSHIRE

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TOWN OFFICERS

Representative to the General Court

D. Everett Palmer

Moderator

John W. York

Supervisors of the Check List

H. Russell Crowell
J. Clark Jacobs
Richard D. Prescott

Town Clerk

D. Everett Palmer

Selectmen

John W. York	Term Expires March, 1963
Harold W. Bodwell, Jr.	Term Expires March, 1964
Charles R. Eastman	Term Expires March, 1965

Treasurer

Harry L. Steeves

Tax Collector

Alice A. Wilbur

Auditors

Frank A. DiVenuti
Frank W. Rosencrantz

Trustees Of Public Library

Doris A. Bickford
Katherine M. Cram
Robert E. Irvine

Trustees Of Trust Funds

Melvin G. Armstrong, Sr. Howard A. Blake
Rachel S. Smith

Board Of Education

Edith F. Goodale	Term Expires 1963
Charles H. Bickford	Term Expires 1964
Walter B. Greenwood	Term Expires 1965

School Treasurer
Patricia B. Burdick

Truant Officer
Hubert H. Schweizer, Jr.

Road Agent
Horace O. Evans

Police

William F. Quirk, Chief of Police Robert S. Kuegel
Hubert H. Schweizer, Jr. William J. Simon

Board Of Health
Harry L. Steeves

Fire Warden
Horace O. Evans

Deputy Fire Wardens

C. Sumner Card John W. York
Frank W. Rosencrantz Melvin G. Armstrong

Chief of Kensington Fire Department
Cleveland A. Webster

Dog Officer
Robert S. Kuegel

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Kensington in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Kensington on Tuesday, the twelfth day of March, next at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same. The Selectmen's estimate of expenditures for the ensuing year is $27,257.81.

3. To see if the Town wishes to allow a discount on taxes paid within 30 days or 60 days after presentation of tax bills.

4. To vote on the basis of payment and the amount thereof to be paid the Tax Collector for the collection of taxes.

5. To see if the Town will grant the Selectmen authority to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

6. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum not exceeding $6,000.00 (Six Thousand Dollars) for the purpose of making improvements to the following Class V roads within the Town; Osgood Road and Blake Road, such sum to be raised through issuance of bonds or notes under and in compliance with the provisions of Chapter 241, New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated, 1955, as amended by Laws of 1957, Chapter 273:3, and to

authorize the Selectmen to determine the date and place of payment of such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon, and to take such other steps as may be necessary to negotiate such bonds or notes as shall be to the best interests of the Town of Kensington.

7. By petition of David C. Engel and nine others. To see if the Town will vote to require the Selectmen to submit to public bid all town projects for the construction, maintenance and/or repair of town roads or town buildings and structures in which the estimated cost of such projects exceeds $100.00 (One Hundred Dollars) all bidders to provide a bid bond, and a performance bond.

8. By petition of George O. Cole and eleven others. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the purchase of a new tanker and pumper fire engine with necessary equipment, said engine to meet specification as drawn by the Board of Fire Engineers; and for this purpose, to raise a sum not exceeding Fifteen Thousand Dollars ($15,000.00) by issue of serial notes of the Town, under and in accordance with, the provisions of Chapter 33 (Municipal Finance Act) of New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated as amended, the discretion of fixing the date, maturities, interest rate or discount rate, the place of payment, the form and other details of said notes to be delegated to the Selectmen.

9. By petition of Gustave Lambert and fourteen others. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $400.00 (Four Hundred Dollars) for the purpose of increasing the annual salaries of the three selectmen and the town treasurer $100.00 (One Hundred Dollars) each.

10. By petition of Gustave Lambert and nineteen others. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $750.00 (Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars) for the purpose of purchasing four fireproof

cabinets for the use of the selectmen, town clerk, tax collector and treasurer.

11. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Business meeting starts at 7:00 P.M. Polls will close at end of business meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 22nd day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixty-three.

JOHN W. YORK

HAROLD W. BODWELL, JR.

CHARLES R. EASTMAN

Selectmen of Kensington

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

JOHN W. YORK

HAROLD W. BODWELL, JR.

CHARLES R. EASTMAN

Selectmen of Kensington

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF KENSINGTON

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year
January 1, 1963 to December 31, 1963. Compared with
Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures
of the Previous Year January 1, 1962 to December 31, 1962

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1962	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1962	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1963
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	$ 2,000.00	$ 2,492.82	$ 2,000.00
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses	450.00	376.00	350.00
Bus. Lic., Permits & Filing Fees	7.00	12.00	10.00
Interest Received on Taxes & Deposits	300.00	485.21	450.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	5,000.00	6,031.65	6,000.00
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
Poll Taxes—Regular @ $2	580.00	602.00	600.00
Yield Taxes	500.00	527.05	100.00
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	$8,837.00	$10,526.73	$ 9,510.00
AMT. TO BE RAISED BY PROP. TAXES			**$105,588.27**
TOTAL REVENUES			**$115,098.27**

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

Current Maintenance Expenses:	Approp. Previous Year 1962	Actual Expend. Previous Year 1962	Estimated Expend. Ensuing Year 1963
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	$ 2,000.00	$ 2,082.68	$ 2,200.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,200.00	1,407.96	1,500.00
Election & Registration Expenses	500.00	362.00	300.00
Exp. Town Hall & Other Town Bldgs.	600.00	575.00	600.00
Emp. Retire. & Social Security	200.00	73.25	200.00
Protection of Persons & Property:			
Police Department	500.00	591.14	600.00
Fire Department	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,675.00
Insurance	225.00	409.78	300.00
Planning & Zoning	100.00		100.00
Damage by Dogs	50.00	23.50	50.00
Damages & Legal Expenses	250.00	200.00	250.00
Civil Defense	50.00		50.00
Health:			
Health Dept., Inc. Hospitals	10.00	10.00	10.00
Vital Statistics	20.00	15.20	20.00
Town Dump & Garbage Removal	625.00	1,059.50	1,000.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Maint.—Summer	3,000.00	1,364.39	3,000.00
Town Maint.—Winter	3,800.00	3,322.95	3,800.00
Street Lighting	150.00	139.45	150.00
Gen. Exp. of Highway Dept.	3,000.00	3,096.25	3,000.00
Town Road Aid	298.87		302.81
Libraries	850.00	850.00	850.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	500.00	418.64	500.00
Old Age Assistance	1,400.00	1,316.77	1,400.00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day & Veterans' Assa.	100.00	100.00	100.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	500.00	637.50	800.00

Interest:			
On Temporary Loans	50.00	12.81	100.00
On Long Term Notes & Bonds	100.00	67.50	
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Construction	1,500.00	1,500.00	
Paint Town Hall			400.00
Payment on Principal of Debt:			
Bonds		2,000.00	
County Taxes	4,000.00	4,161.86	4,000.00
School Taxes	67,812.83	64,442.45	87,840.46
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	**$94,891.70**	**$91,740.58**	**$115,098.27**

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

INVENTORY

Land and Buildings	$2,914,000.00
House Trailers Used as Dwellings (7)	17,249.00
Mills and Machinery	3,000.00
Electric Plants	149,847.00
Stock in Trade	113,300.00
Boats and Launches (8)	1,650.00
Cows (300)	34,655.00
Neat Stock (19)	1,820.00
Sheep and Goats (28)	280.00
Hogs (30)	450.00
Fowls (2,975)	842.00
Road Building and Const. Machinery	10,650.00
Portable Mills	1,000.00
Wood, Lumber, Logs, etc. (Not Stock in Trade)	2,845.00
Total Gross Valuation	$3,251,588.00
Less Veterans' Exemptions	29,100.00
Taxable Net Valuation	$3,222,488.00

APPROPRIATIONS

Town Officers' Salaries	$2,000.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,200.00
Election & Registration Expenses	500.00
Town Hall & Other Town Buildings	600.00
S. S. and Retirement Contributions	200.00
Police Department	500.00
Fire Department	1,500.00
Insurance	225.00
Planning and Zoning	100.00
Civil Defense	50.00

Damages and Legal Expenses	250.00
Dog Expense	50.00
Health Department	10.00
Vital Statistics	20.00
Town Dump	625.00
Town Highway Maint.—Summer	3,000.00
Town Highway Maint.—Winter	3,800.00
Street Lighting	150.00
General Expenses of Highway	3,000.00
Town Road Aid	298.87
Libraries	850.00
Old Age Assistance	1,400.00
Town Poor	500.00
Memorial Day	100.00
Cemeteries	500.00
New Construction (Osgood Road $1,500.00)	
Interest	150.00
Total Town Appropriations	$21,578.87
County Tax	4,161.86
School Tax	67,812.83
Total Town, County and School Appropriation	$93,553.56

ESTIMATE BY WHICH TAX RATE WAS DETERMINED

Total Town, County & School Approp.		$93,553.56
Less: Estimated Rev. & Credits		
Interest & Dividends Tax	$2,492.82	
Rev. from Yield Sources	75.00	
Interest Rec'd on Taxes	300.00	
Business Lic. & Permits	7.00	
Dog Licenses	450.00	
Motor Vehicle Per. Fees	5,000.00	

Poll Taxes—312 @ $2.00	624.00	
Cash Surplus	2,500.00	
Total Revenues and Credits		11,448.82
		$82,104.74
Plus Overlay		1,679.95
Amt. to be raised by Prop. Taxes		$83,784.69

Tax Rate $2.60 per $100.00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1962

	Approp.	Receipts	Total Amount Available	Expend.	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft
Town Officers' Salaries	$ 2,000.00	$	$ 2,000.00	$ 2,082.68	$	$ 82.68
Town Officers' Expenses	1,200.00		1,200.00	1,407.96		207.96
Election & Registration	500.00		500.00	362.00	138.00	
Town Hall & Other Town Buildings	600.00	45.00	645.00	575.00	70.00	
Social Security	200.00		200.00	73.25	126.75	
Police Department	500.00	55.00	555.00	591.14		36.14
Fire Department	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,500.00		
Insurance	225.00	8.67	233.67	409.78		176.11
Civil Defense	50.00		50.00		50.00	
Planning & Zoning	100.00		100.00		100.00	
Health Department	10.00		10.00	10.00		
Vital Statistics	20.00		20.00	15.20	4.80	
Town Dump	625.00		625.00	1,059.50		434.50
Highway Dept.—Summer	3,000.00		3,000.00	1,364.39	1,635.61	
Highway Dept.—Winter	3,800.00		3,800.00	3,322.95	477.05	
Street Lighting	150.00		150.00	139.45	10.55	
General Exp. of Highway, Tar Acct.	3,000.00		3,000.00	3,096.25		96.25
Town Road Aid	298.87	1,071.17	1,370.04	2,000.00		629.96
Libraries	850.00		850.00	850.00		
Old Age Assistance	1,400.00		1,400.00	1,316.77	83.23	
Town Poor	500.00		500.00	418.64	81.36	

Memorial Day	100.00		100.00	100.00		
Cemeteries	500.00	192.00	692.00	637.50	54.50	
Legal Expenses	250.00		250.00	200.00	50.00	
Dog Expenses	50.00		50.00	23.50	26.50	
Interest on Temp. Loans	50.00		50.00	12.81	37.19	
Int. on Long Term Bond	100.00		100.00	67.50	32.50	
Town Const.—Osgood Road	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,500.00		
County Tax	4,000.00		4,000.00	4,161.86		161.86
School Tax	67,812.83		67,812.83	56,500.00	11,312.83	
	$94,891.70	**$1,371.84**	**$96,263.54**	**$83,798.13**	**$14,290.87**	**$1,825.46**

TOWN BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Cash Balance in Bank	$ 4,707.61
Unredeemed Taxes, Levy of 1961	251.67
Unredeemed Taxes, Levy of 1960	132.07
Uncollected Taxes, Levy of 1962	21,385.67
Uncollected Taxes, Levy of 1961	2.00
Uncollected State Head Taxes, Levy of 1962	510.00
Joint Highway Const. Accts., Unexpended Balance in State Treas.	921.30
	$27,910.32

LIABILITIES

Bills Outstanding	$ 410.19
Due State: 1962 Head Tax	510.00
Due State: 1962 Yield Tax	14.32
Due Schools	11,312.83
	$12,247.34
Surplus Over Current Liabilities	$15,662.98

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

D. Everett Palmer, Town Clerk

January 1, 1962 to December 31, 1962

DOG TAX FOR 1962

DR.

Received:				
For 74 male dogs	@	$2.00	$148.00	
For 23 female dogs	@	5.00	115.00	
For 50 spayed fem.	@	2.00	100.00	
For 3 kennel licenses			36.00	
For 14 fines	@	.50	7.00	
				$406.00

CR.

Paid Town Treasurer	$376.00	
Fees retained by Clerk	30.00	
		$406.00

AUTO TAX

DR.

Received for 18 1961 permits	$ 40.45	
Received for 613 1962 permits	5,991.20	
		$6,031.65

CR.

Paid Town Treasurer	$6,031.65

FILING FEES

DR.

Received for filing fees	$12.00

CR.

Paid Town Treasurer	$12.00

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

SUMMARY OF WARRANT
PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES
LEVY OF 1962

DR.

Taxes Committed to Collector:			
Property Taxes	$83,784.66		
Poll Taxes	624.00		
Total Warrant		$84,408.66	
Yield Taxes		100.79	
Added Taxes			
Property Taxes	$43.95		
Poll Taxes	6.00		
		49.95	
Int. Collected		2.17	
Total Debits			$84,561.57

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer:			
Property Taxes	$62,179.22		
Poll Taxes	458.00		
Yield Taxes	14.86		
Int. Collected	2.17		
		$62,654.25	
Abatements			
Property Taxes	$513.65		
Poll Taxes	8.00		
		521.65	

Uncollected Taxes:			
Property Taxes	$21,135.74		
Poll Taxes	164.00		
Yield Taxes	85.93		
		21,385.67	
Total Credits			$84,561.57

SUMMARY OF WARRANT
PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES
LEVY OF 1961

DR.

Uncollected Taxes— as of Jan. 1, 1962:			
Property Taxes	$16,457.68		
Poll Taxes & Sup.	158.00		
Yield Taxes	512.19		
		$17,127.87	
Int. Coll. during Fiscal Year ending Dec. 31, 1962		483.04	
Total Debits			$17,610.91

CR.

Remittances to Treas. during Fiscal Year ended Dec. 31, 1962:			
Property Taxes	$16,434.68		
Poll Taxes	144,00		
Yield Taxes	512.19		

Interest	483.04		
		$17,573.91	
Abatements			
Property Taxes	$23.00		
Poll Taxes	12.00		
		35.00	
		$17,608.91	
Uncollected Taxes:			
Poll Taxes		2.00	
Total Credits			$17,610.91

SUMMARY OF WARRANT
STATE HEAD TAX
LEVY OF 1962

DR.

State Head Taxes Committed to Coll. :			
Original Warrant	$2,035.00		
Added Taxes	15.00		
Total Commitment		$2,050.00	
Penalties Collected		7.50	
Total Debits			$2,057.50

CR.

Remittances to Treas. :		
Head Taxes	$1,520.00	
Penalties	7.50	
		$1,527.50

Abatements	20.00	
Uncoll. Head Taxes	510.00	
Total Credits		$2,057.50

SUMMARY OF WARRANT
STATE HEAD TAX
LEVY OF 1961

DR.

Uncollected Taxes—		
as of Jan. 1, 1962	$495.00	
Added Taxes during '62	10.00	
Penalties Coll. during '62	48.00	
Total Debits		$553.00

CR.

Remittances to Treas.: during '62:			
Head Taxes	$480.00		
Penalties	48.00		
		$528.00	
Abatements during '62		25.00	
Total Credits			$553.00

SUMMARY OF SUBSEQUENT TAX PAYMENTS
ON TAX SALES ACCOUNTS
LEVY OF 1961

DR.

Paid by Town	$323.11

Paid by Gene Wilbur	10.00		
		$333.11	
Int. & Costs		10.70	
			$343.81

CR.

Subsequent Tax Payments		
Redemptions	$228.82	
Unredeemed	114.99	
		$343.81

1961 Levy Unredeemed

Subsequent Tax Payments:	
Caldwell, Charles	$ 21.50
Gerard, Fortin, Parcel 1	10.36
Gerard, Fortin, Parcel 2	83.13
	$114.99

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1962

DR.

		1961	1960
a. Taxes Sold during Cur. Fiscal Yeart to: Melvin Armstrong, Frederick W. Yardley and Walter T. Goodale		$263.90	
b. Bal. of Unredeemed Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1962	$223.61		

Less Cost of notifying Mortgagee	2.74		
			$220.87
Int. & Redemption Costs		.02	8.08
Total Debits		$263.92	$228.95

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer during Year		$ 96.88
Remittance to Buyer and Post.	$ 12.25	
Unredeemed Taxes— At Close of Year	251.67	132.07
Total Credits	$263.92	$228.95

UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM

TAX SALES ACCOUNT ON LEVIES OF:

	1961	1960
Caldwell, Charles		$ 34.58
Fortin, Gerard, Parcel 1		33.33
Fortin, Gerard, Parcel 2		64.16
Grove, Hrs. of Winifred	$131.64	
Perfect, Ernest G.	120.03	
	$251.67	$132.07

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance, January 1, 1962		$5,815.33
Rec'd from Alice A. Wilbur Tax Collector:		
Property Tax 1962	$62,179.22	
Poll Tax	458.00	
Yield Tax	14.86	
Interest	2.17	
Head Tax	1,520.00	
Head Tax Penalties	7.50	
Property Tax 1961	16,434.68	
Poll Tax	144.00	
Taxes Redeemed	325.70	
Yield Taxes	512.19	
Interest	483.04	
Head Tax	480.00	
Head Tax Penalties	48.00	
		$82,609.36
Rec'd from D. Everett Palmer, Town Clerk:		
Auto Permits 1962	$5,991.20	
Auto Permits 1961	40.45	
Dog Licenses 1962	376.00	
Filing Fees 1962	12.00	
		$6,419.65
Rec'd from Kensington Legion Post 105:		
Janitor and Police Work		$100.00
Rec'd from State Treasurer:		
Interest and Dividend Tax	$2,492.82	
T. R. A. Accelerated Program	1,071.17	

Overpayment on Head Tax	97.65	
		$3,661.64
Rec'd from Other Sources:		
Perkins Prescott, change in Premium Charge	$ 8.67	
Melvin Armstrong, Sr., Cemetery Trust Fund—remittance to Town	192.00	
		$200.67
Rec'd from Exeter Banking Co. Short Term Loan		$4,000.00
Total		$102,806.65
Paid by Order of Selectmen		98,099.04
Balance December 31, 1962		$ 4,707.61

HARRY L. STEEVES,

Treasurer

SELECTMEN'S REPORT OF EXPENDITURES

Town Officers' Salaries	$2,082.68
Town Officers' Expenses	1,407.96
Election & Registration	362.00
Town Hall & Other Town Buildings	575.00
Police	591.14
Fire Department	1,500.00
Dog Expense	23.50
Town Dump	1,059.50
Health Department	10.00
Vital Statistics	15.20
Highway Maintenance — Summer	1,364.39
Highway Maintenance — Winter	3,322.95
General Expense of Highways — Tar Acct.	3,096.25
Street Lighting	139.45
Libraries	850.00
Old Age Assistance	1,316.77
Public Welfare	418.64
Memorial Day	100.00
Cemeteries	637.50
Legal Expense	200.00
Taxes Bought By Town	334.43
Abatements & Refunds	72.56
Social Security	73.25
Interest	80.31
Adm. Cost of Old Age Assistance	1.00
Insurance	409.78
Temporary Loans	4,000.00
Bonds	2,000.00
Special Appropriation—Osgood Road	1,500.00
County Tax	4,161.86
Bond & Debt Tax	87.82
Head Tax	1,862.65
School District	64,442.45
	$98,099.04

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Alice A. Wilbur, Tax Collector	$858.18
D. Everett Palmer, Town Clerk's Salary	428.50
John W. York, Selectman's Salary	200.00
Harold Bodwell, Jr., Selectman's Salary	100.00
Charles R. Eastman, Selectman's Salary	100.00
Harry L. Steeves, Treasurer's Salary	120.00
H. Russell Crowell, Supervisor of Check List	72.00
J. Clark Jacobs, Supervisor of Check List	72.00
Melvin G. Armstrong, Jr., Supervisor of Check List	72.00
Horace M. Gourley, Auditor's Salary	30.00
Frank DeVenuti, Auditor's Salary	30.00
	$2,082.68

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Sargent Brothers, Tax Coll. Supplies	$ 26.80
Burroughs Corp., Repairing Adding Machine	16.80
Beatrice S. Lambert, Bookkeeping & Typing	223.44
Treasurer, State of N. H., Boat Reports	5.60
Beatrice S. Lambert, Supplies	11.65
Melvin G. Armstrong, Jr., Trust Fund Expense	15.00
John W. York, Selectman's Expense	50.00
Harold W. Bodwell, Jr., Selectman's Expense	25.00
Charles R. Eastman, Selectman's Expense	25.00
Harry L. Steeves, Treasurer's Expense	17.50
D. Everett Palmer, Tax Collector's Expense	65.00
Edson C. Eastman Co., Supplies	42.44
Brown & Saltmarsh Co., Supplies	16.86
William F. Quirk, Safety School	50.00
Branham Pub. Co., Auto Reference Book	7.00
Alice A. Wilbur, Tax Collector's Expense	76.78
Exeter Banking Co., Safe Deposit Box	5.50
State of N. H., Mobile Home & Boat Guide	6.75
Batchelder's Book Store, Post binder	6.25

Ida H. Rowell, Secretary, Tax Collector's Dues	3.00
Young Hardware Co., Supplies	5.31
Charles Hardy, Treasurer, Town Clerk's Dues	3.00
Percy M. Dunn, Delivering Town Reports	7.00
Perkins & Prescott, Official Bonds	142.30
The Hampton Publishing Co., Annual Reports	525.30
Wheeler & Clark, Supplies	24.33
Horace M. Gourley, Auditor's Expense	4.35
	$1,407.96

ELECTION & REGISTRATION

Christine Schweizer, Ballot Inspector	$ 38.00
Grace M. Gilmore, Ballot Inspector	38.00
Theresa Morley, Gatekeeper	29.00
Wilbur Boyden, Sr., Gatekeeper	29.00
Beatrice Lambert, Ballot Clerk	29.00
Doris Jordon, Ballot Clerk	29.00
John W. York, Moderator	24.00
The Squamscott Press, Ballots	27.00
Kensington Vol. Fire Dept. Aux., Dinners	105.00
Percy M. Dunn, Janitor	14.00
	$362.00

TOWN HALL & OTHER TOWN BUILDINGS

C. M. Dining, Gas	$ 52.00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone	125.92
Exeter & Hampton Electric Co., Electricity	76.31
Frank Brown, Wood	10.00
Percy M. Dunn, Janitor's Salary & Supplies	128.50
Amesbury Hardware, Supplies	37.45
G. P. & R. C. Kimball Co., Repairing pump	67.12
Joseph Swazey, Wood	22.00
Howard Beckman, Repairing pump	6.00

Ed. Stevens, Wood	22.00
Bill Wilbur, Repairing pump	27.70
	$575.00

POLICE

William F. Quirk, Salary	$362.75
Hubert H. Schweizer, Jr., Salary	95.38
Robert Kuegel, Salary	89.75
Lloyd M. Currier, Installing radio	25.00
Young's Hardware Co., Supplies	14.66
Western Auto Store, Supplies	3.60
	$591.14

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Kensington Vol. Fire Dept.	$1,500.00

DOG EXPENSE

Robert Kugel, Salary	$18.50
Dr. Eric Simmons, Services	5.00
	$23.50

TOWN DUMP

Hubert H. Schweizer, Sr., Care of Dump	$201.65
Buxton Brothers, Gravel & Fill	538.25
Buxton Brothers, Care of Dump	282.35
Wilbur Boyden, Sr., Labor	26.50
June Armstrong, Signs	10.75
	$1,059.50

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Harry L. Steeves, Health Officer	$10.00

VITAL STATISTICS

John W. A. Green	$15.20

HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE — SUMMER

R. & D. Batchelder, Gravel	$ 32.00
Iafolla Crushed Stone, Patch	185.20
Buxton Brothers, Hauling Gravel	82.50
Homer Johnson, Grader	166.50
Lloyd Steeves, Labor	28.75
Horace O. Evans, Labor, Truck & Tractor	458.75
Harry T. Philbrick, Labor	30.00
Walter R. Trafton, Labor	16.25
Arthur C. Evans, Labor	15.00
Robert P. Sawyer, Labor	56.25
R. C. Hazelton Co., Inc., Culverts	88.55
Richard Welsh, Back Hoe	64.00
Ricci Construction Co., Gravel	80.64
David Batchelder, Truck	60.00
	$1,364.39

HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE — WINTER

Horace O. Evans, Truck & Labor	$ 311.50
David Batchelder, Labor	51.25
Goodwin Feed & Supply Co., Salt	564.70
R. G. Watkins & Son, Snow Removal	2,298.00
Walter Platt, Labor	16.25
Arthur C. Evans, Labor	26.25
Hubert Schweizer, Sr., Labor	15.00
Walter R. Trafton, Labor	40.00
	$3,322.95

GENERAL EXPENSES OF HIGHWAY

Homer Johnson, Tar Account	$3,096.25

STREET LIGHTING

Exeter & Hampton Co.	$139.45

LIBRARIES

Doris Bickford, Treasurer	$850.00

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

State of New Hampshire	$1,316.77

PUBLIC WELFARE

Charles R. Eastman, Distributing Surplus Comm.	$ 40.00
Rockingham County, Surplus Commodities	111.64
Rockingham County Hospital, Board & Care	267.00
	$418.64

MEMORIAL DAY

James Rosencrantz, Treasurer, Kensington American Legion	$100.00

CEMETERIES

Buxton Brothers, Removing Trees, Stumps, etc.	$187.00
Buxton Brothers, Loam & Clay	45.00
Amesbury Hardware Co., Supplies	64.00
Howard Blake, Care of Cemetery	314.50
Richard Welsh, Removing Snow	27.00
	$637.50

LEGAL EXPENSE

George R. Scammon, Services	$200.00

TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

Alice A. Wilbur, Tax Collector	$334.43

ABATEMENTS & REFUNDS

Kenneth Daigneault, Head Tax	$ 5.00
Alden Tuttle, Car Tax	7.17
Bruce & Jane Grimm, Car Tax	8.80
Kenneth & William Buxton, Truck Reg.	11.35
Brownell Schrempf, Car Tax	7.05
Martha Evans, Car Tax	2.61
Arabella Tuttle, Car Tax	4.58
Ernest Plourde, Prop. Tax	26.00
	$72.56

SOCIAL SECURITY

State Treasurer	$73.25

INTEREST

The Exeter Banking Co.	$80.31

ADM. COST OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

State of New Hampshire	$1.00

INSURANCE

Perkins & Prescott, Liability & Town Hall	$257.28
Perkins & Prescott, Compensation	152.50
	$409.78

TEMPORARY LOANS

The Exeter Banking Co.	$4,000.00

BONDS

The Exeter Banking Co.	$2,000.00

COUNTY TAX

W. H. Lothrop, Treasurer	$4,161.86

BOND & DEBT TAX

State Treasurer	$87.82

HEAD TAX

State Treasurer	$1,862.65

SCHOOL DISTRICT

School Treasurer	$64,442.45

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION—OSGOOD ROAD

Robert K. McCourt, Labor	$ 18.75
Robert Sawyer, Labor	65.00
R. C. Hazelton Co., Culverts	160.55
Richard E. Welsh, Hauling Gravel	496.00
Horace O. Evans, Truck & Labor	188.50
Buxton Brothers, Hauling Gravel	571.20
	$1,500.00

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF KENSINGTON ON DECEMBER 31, 1962

Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund	Purpose of Trust Fund	How Invested	Balance Beginning & End of Year	INCOME Balance Beginning of Year	Percent	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance End Year
1912	John F. Gill	Cemetery	Manchester Sav. Bank	$ 100.00	$ 12.92		$ 4.58	$ 5.00	$ 12.50
1914	Hannah Moulton	Library	Manchester Sav. Bank	1,000.00			40.60	40.60	
1916	Mary S. Blake	Cemetery	Manchester Sav. Bank	100.00	7.00		4.34	5.00	6.34
1918	Lizzie Osgood	Cemetery	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	1.53		3.05	2.00	2.58
1922	James P. Bartlett	Cemetery	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	6.32		3.19		9.51
1923	George M. Gove	Cemetery	Manchester Sav. Bank	150.00	10.78		6.53	6.00	11.31
1925	Ellen F. Bingham	Cemetery	Manchester Sav. Bank	100.00	6.75		4.34	5.00	6.09
1928	Clara A. Rhodes	Cemetery	Manchester Sav. Bank	100.00	4.96		4.26	5.00	4.22
1929	William H. Eaton	Cemetery	Exeter Banking Co.	200.00	15.15		6.49	7.00	14.64
1931	Susan L. Webster	Cemetery	Manchester Sav. Bank	200.00	27.65		9.25	8.00	28.90
1932	Robert T. Brown	Cemetery	Exeter Banking Co.	200.00	23.25		6.73		29.98
1935	Frank L. Wadleigh	Cemetery	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	5.68		3.17	4.00	4.85
1937	Sarah A. Green	Cemetery	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	5.62		3.17	5.00	3.79
1938	Oliver Clifford	Cemetery	Exeter Banking Co.	95.00	1.03		3.04		4.07
1940	Clara E. Kimball	Cemetery	Amoskeag Sav. Bank	300.00	44.63		14.67	15.00	44.30
1942	Mary Jane Smith	Cemetery	Amoskeag Sav. Bank	200.00	26.91		9.66	8.00	28.57
1944	Marcia D. Tilton	Cemetery	Amoskeag Sav. Bank	1,000.00	108.47		47.13	130.00	25.60
1944	Mary A. Tilton	Library	Amoskeag Sav. Bank	500.00			21.26	21.26	
1944	John Wadleigh	Cemetery	Exeter Banking Co.	150.00	10.27		4.83	6.00	9.10
1945	Mary E. DeRochemont	Cemetery	Amoskeag Sav. Bank	150.00	6.91		6.68	5.00	8.59
1948	Benjamin Lovering	Cemetery	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	4.74		3.15	4.00	3.89
1948	Frank Poor	Cemetery	Exeter Banking Co.	200.00	17.99		6.56	7.00	17.55
1952	Arthur T. York	Cemetery	Amoskeag Sav. Bank	200.00	33.97		9.95	40.00	3.92

1952	Charles E. Fish	Cemetery	Amoskeag Sav. Bank	200.00	30.80	9.82	6.00	34.62
1953	Charles N. Robie	Cemetery	Amoskeag Sav. Bank	200.00	21.43	9.41	7.00	23.84
1957	Fannie Evans	Cemetery	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	4.61	3.15		7.76
1959	Frank Carr	Cemetery	Amoskeag Sav. Bank	200.00	14.18	9.11	6.00	17.29
1959	Stewart E. Rowe	Cemetery	Amoskeag Sav. Bank	300.00	19.34	13.58	5.00	27.92
1959	Joseph Bodwell	Cemetery	Amoskeag Sav. Bank	200.00	15.16	9.15	3.00	21.31
1959	Moses Evans	Cemetery	Amoskeag Sav. Bank	100.00	8.51	4.63	3.00	10.14
1959	J. P. Bloke, M. E. Warner	Cemetery	Amoskeag Sav. Bank	1,000.00	58.86	45.04	20.00	83.90
1962	William O. Tilton George B. Shaw	Cemetery	Manchester Sav. Bank	200.00	5.37			5.37
1962	John W. York	Cemetery	Amoskeag Sav. Bank	50.00				
			GRAND TOTALS		$555.42	$335.89	$378.86	$512.45

Audited and Approved Feb. 23, 1963
FRANK W. ROSENCOURT
FRANK A. WENETS

REPORT OF KENSINGTON TRUST FUNDS

Paid to Treas. Doris Bickford:		
Interest on Library Trust Funds		
Hannah Moulton Fund	$40.60	
Mary A. Tilton Fund	21.30	
Total		$ 61.86
Paid Howard A. Blake:		
Care of Cemetery		317.00
Total Amount Paid		$378.86
Total Amount Withdrawn		$378.86

MELVIN G. ARMSTRONG,

Treasurer of Trust Funds

AUDITORS' REPORT

This is to certify that we have audited the accounts of the Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Selectmen, Trustee of the Trust Funds, and Library Treasurer of the Town of Kensington for the year ending December 31, 1962, and found them correct.

FRANK W. ROSENCRANTZ

FRANK A. DiVENUTI

REPORT OF TREASURER
KENSINGTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

January 1, 1962:		
Cash on Hand, Checking Acct.	$173.83	
Cash on Hand, Savings Acct. (Warner bequest)	393.07	
		$566.90
Received during the year:		
Memorial Fund	$59.50	
Fines	17.50	
Exeter Banking Co.	2.00	
Town of Kensington	850.00	
Moulton Fund	40.60	
Tilton Fund	21.26	
Interest on Savings Acct.	5.89	
		$996.75
		$1,563.65
Expenses: Salaries		
Lucy Blodgett	$444.60	
Myrtle Gourley	9.00	
		$453.60
Janitor Service:		
Lucy Blodgett	$49.00	
Philip Gourley	2.00	
Peter Kuegel	4.00	
		$55.00

Lights and Heat:

Exeter and Hampton Elect. Co.	$58.88	
Callahan Oil Co., Inc.	86.29	
Cleaning furnace	12.00	
		$157.17

Books and Magazines:

American Home	$5.00	
World Book Year Book	5.95	
National Geographic	6.75	
Campbell and Hall, Inc.	38.24	
Reader's Digest	2.97	
Exeter Bookstore	23.95	
Book of the Month	19.42	
H. W. Wilson and Co.	31.00	
Treasurer of N. H. (Sheiling Trust)	100.00	
		$232.78

Supplies:

Demco Library Supplies	$ 8.80	
Gaylord Bros.	21.20	
		$30.00
Exeter Banking Co.	$3.50	
American Library Assoc.	6.00	
Lucy Blodgett, Librarian's School	25.00	
Insurance: Charles Eastman	38.60	
Donation to Pilgrim Fellowship (Raking Lawn)	5.00	
		78.10
		$1,006.65

December 31, 1962:

Cash on Hand, Checking Acct.	$183.04	
Cash on Hand, Savings Acct. (Warner bequest)	373.96	
		$557.00
		$1,563.65

Respectfully submitted,

DORIS A. BICKFORD

Chairman, Board of Trustees

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

CIRCULATION FOR 1962

Adult Fiction	1160
Juvenile Fiction	2654
Juvenile Non-Fiction	485
History, Travel and Adventure	218
Biography	117
Literature	112
Science	98
Religion and Philosophy	22
Sociology	30
Miscellaneous Non-Fiction	156
Magazines and Pamphlets	188
Total	5240

The total circulation increased 1651 over the 1961 circulation figure. The greatest increase was in the juvenile fiction but nearly all the categoriese showed an increase. There was also an increase in the number of people using the reference books. Circulation remained gratifyingly high all through the summer months.

There were 190 books added to the library during 1962. Seventeen of these books were purchased with funds left in memory of Helen R. Webster and 3 children's books were purchased with funds left in memory of Mr. James A. Wiggins. The library has been fortunate in receiving many gift books this year. Mr. Walter Hoffman of Exeter was the largest donor and while the books were not new they were of excellent quality and were predominantly non-fiction in the history and science classification. The Exeter Library has been most generous in giving Kensington first choice when they have surplus books and some new fiction was

obtained this way. The Hampton Falls Library and the Kensington Library were able to swap some of their gift books to mutual advantage. Many town's people have given generously to the library. The Goodale Family presented 12 issues of American Heritage, John and Andrew Tuthill gave "The Christmas Mouse" as a Christmas gift to the Library, Mrs. Henry Shute gave a Christmas check to purchase "North of Monadnock" (adult) and "The Boy Who Would Not Say His Name" (juvenile). Many children in town have given books from their own libraries to increase the children's collection. Charles Kimball gave a book in memory of Nellie Hilliard and Martha Kimball gave one in memory of Helen Webster.

Forty-three new borrowers signed the register in 1962. Twenty-two of these were elementary school age, 6 junior or high school age and 16 were adults.

In August 1962, Kensington joined with the libraries of South Hampton, Newton, Kingston and Brentwood to form a Book Purchasing Cooperative. Each library is entitled to deposit a portion of its book budget with the State Treasurer and receive the benefit of the State Library discount for books ordered against this money. Every two months the group meets and is able to examine new books before purchasing. This group has been awarded the Shieling Trust grant for 1962. With the Shieling money, books are purchased by unanimous consent to be owned in common by the five libraries. The books will rotate among the libraries until the money has been all spent and all the libraries have had the books in rotation, a division will then be made among the members libraries. Each library will finally have a number of the books on a semi-permanent basis. Each library will have catalog cards for each book in their catalog. The books will be loaned freely among members of the group even after division is made.

The Kensington PTA has sponsored a group of volunteers who are helping the librarian to weed, recatalog and reorganize the library. The weeding has been completed and much cataloging has been done. A complete inventory will be taken and all uncataloged books will be cataloged. The volunteers have been tireless and enthusiastic and their help is greatly appreciated.

Improvements have been made to the interior of the library by the Social Library Trustees during the past year. A section of railing was removed to allow better access to the stacks. A new top was put on the circulation desk and shelves built for each side of the desk for storage of supplies. During Christmas week, the entire floor was sanded and refinished. The appearance of the library has been greatly improved.

The librarian attended her second session of the Public Library Techniques course at U. N. H. and has now qualified for a temporary Librarian's Certificate. Upon completion of the four summer sessions she will receive a permanent certificate.

LUCY BLODGETT,

Librarian

BOARD OF FIRE ENGINEERS REPORT

Comparison of appropriation and expenditures for fire protection. Approved Appropriation—$1,500.

Item	Budgeted	Expended
Red Network	$ 500.00	$ 532.76
Electricity	75.00	71.95
Fuel	175.00	168.28
Insurance	500.00	507.47
New Equipment	100.00	36.62
Building Maint. and Repair	50.00	24.90
Apparatus Maint. and Repair	100.00	155.47
	$1,500.00	$1,497.45

Value of Town owned
Fire Protection Equipment $2,385.00

CLEVELAND A. WEBSTER
HUBERT H. SCHWEIZER, JR.
JOHN W. YORK
Board of Fire Engineers

KENSINGTON VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

Fire Chief's Annual Report — Year Ending 1962

During the year the Department has responded to 12 alarms as follows:

Dwellings	6
Grass or woods	5
Miscellaneous	1

Of these alarms, 1 dwelling and 2 woods fires were Mutual Aid calls to assist other Towns. An average of 14 men and 4 officers responded and used the following equipment, the figures below are totals for all fires.

400'	1½" hose
200'	Booster hose
90'	Ladders
3000	Gals. of Water
25	Indian Tanks
1 - 15 lb.	CO2 Extinguisher

The value of the property involved, (excluding land value), was slightly over $25,000 and the damage estimated at $1,700.

An average of 8 men and 4 officers attended 12 regular Drills and a total of 528 man hours were expended on Drills and Fires.

During 1962 we in Kensington were most fortunate. While the National death, injury and damage tolls from fire have risen, we have shown a decrease. This should not lull us into a false sense of security as fire does not respect the old saying, "it can't happen to me". It can and will unless constant vigilance is maintained.

To further stress the need for complete information,

be sure to give your full name, street address and Town. Both telephone exchanges that serve this Town also serve several others, some of which have identical street names. Persons who have recently moved to Kensington should further identify themselves. For example: my name is John Jones, on "X" street, next door to "Mr. Old Timer". This will aid in securing a prompt response of the Fire Department.

Respectfully submitted,

CLEVELAND A. WEBSTER,
Chief

FINANCIAL REPORT
OF KENSINGTON VOL. FIRE DEPT.

February 1, 1962 to January 1, 1963

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1962	$ 431.10	
Town of Kensington	1,500.00	
Gifts	15.00	
Calendars	101.94	
Dinners and Dance	130.64	
Tonic and Cigarettes	16.48	
Paid by men for equip. for selves	41.90	
Misc. Rec'd	16.00	
		$2,253.06

PAYMENTS

Lights	$ 63.39	
Tel. and Red Net.	492.76	
Oil	140.20	
Insurance	502.47	
Gas	35.50	
Building Materials	51.04	
Repairs and new Equip.	68.23	
Equip. brought by men	7.80	
Int. on Loan	40.00	
Payment on Loan	300.00	
Total Payments		$1,747.24
Cash on Hand Jan. 1, 1963		505.82
		$2,253.06
Balance owed on Loans		$ 700.00

H. RUSSELL CROWELL
Treasurer

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE

Following is the report for the year 1962 to the best of my knowledge and Department Records:

Arrests (General)	7
Accidents reported and investigated	13
Accidents causing injuries (all types)	5
Accidents causing fatalities	1
Ambulance service	5
Amount of property reported stolen	$30.00
Amount of property recovered	$10.00
Breaking and entering	4
Breaking and entering cleared	2
Missing persons reported	4
Missing persons found	4
Warnings issued to motorists	60
Complaints investigated (general)	42
Complaints investigated (larceny)	4
Larcenys cleared	2
Assists to other police departments	8
Abandoned vehicles	4
Motor vehicle violations	8
Aid to distressed persons	8
Domestic quarrels	8
Assault and Battery	3
Miscellaneous complaints	24
Prowler	7
Use of derisive words	5

Officers of the Kensington Police Department:

Hubert Schweizer, Jr.

Robert Kuegel

William Simon

In the past year the Kensington Police department was fortunate to receive an invitation to attend the State Police training school at the University of New Hampshire. I was able to attend this school which was highly beneficial. The information that I received is being passed on to the other officers which will greatly benefit the whole department.

At this time I would like to express my thanks for the cooperation the department has received from the board of Selectmen, Rockingham County Sheriff's Department, State Police, N. H. Motor Vehicle Department and all the citizens of the town of Kensington.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM F. QUIRK, Chief

PLANNING BOARD REPORT

During the past year the Planning Board has applied itself to the making of a land use map. A map of this type can have many applications that would be of benefit to the town.

On this map we intend to show the location of roads, buildings and waterways. Through use of the aerial photos (1952 and 1962) we will be provided with a means of studying fields and woodlands. We will be able to analyze the possible uses to which the land could best be suited, in the event that zoning, as such, should ever go into effect. The Selectmen might use the map to study boundaries and rights of way, and to find parcels of land that heretofore have not been taxed.

The Fire Department might find the map helpful in instituting new fire alarm systems and in locating new residences.

Our main concern is to show the people of Kensington that we are growing and that the need for planning is indeed necessary. It is the hope of the Planning Board that when sudden developments do arise we will be ready to meet the challenge and plan wisely for the future as well as for the present.

Respectfully submitted,

GORDON SWIFT, Chairman

Kensington Planning Board

FOREST FIRE WARDEN'S REPORT

Preventing Forest Fires Is Our Responsibility

Costs of suppressing carelessly set outdoor fires in New Hampshire in 1962 cost the persons responsible $5,545. In the same period, the cost to the cities and towns for control of such fires for which no responsibility could be placed cost another $24,634. What utter waste of tax money and what shameful and needless loss of timber and esthetic values in the 2,200 acres burned. Residences, farms, and other business places were threatened with possible total destruction.

Carelessly set man caused fires can be prevented if every citizen remembers his responsibility in regard to any source of fires in the open. We can help to keep our fire loss low by remembering these simple rules.

1. Dispose of burnable waste at the town dump.
2. If waste or brush is to be burned on the premises, obtain a permit from the forest fire warden. Seasonal permits may be issued for approved incinerators and sites.
3. Burn safely by picking a clean site, avoiding dry windy weather and preferably burning late in the day.
4. Have something to keep the fire under control — pails of water, garden hose, sprinkling can, broom for grass fires or shovel will help.
5. Be sure your fire is dead out before you leave it.
6. If the fire gets out of control or if you see a fire out of control, report promptly to your warden or fire department. Continue to fight it until help arrives.

There is potential danger when matches fall into the hands of children. It is never too early for parents to install in the child's mind a respect for fire.

Keep our town safe from fire.

HORACE O. EVANS,

Forest Fire Warden

MERTON A. WEBBER,

District Fire Chief

ANNUAL REPORTS

OF

Officers of the School District

OF THE

TOWN OF KENSINGTON, N. H.

For the Year Beginning July 1, 1961

and Ending June 30, 1962

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Kensington qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the ninth day of March 1963, at 7:30 o'clock in the evening to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the District.

6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this Warrant.

8. To see what sum of money the District will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the District, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the Selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

9. To see if the District will grant the School Board authority to use the money received from Federal Aid (P. L. 874) to defray the added expense of tuitions and maintenance of school plant.

10. By petition of Leslie C. Briggs and nine others: To see if the School District will raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 to increase the salaries of School Board Members.

11. By petition of William H. Wadleigh and nine others: To see if the School District will vote to hold the annual School District Meeting on the same day as the annual Kensington Town Meeting, the School District Meeting to precede the annual town meeting.

12. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Kensington this 14th day of February, 1963.

CHARLES H. BICKFORD,
WALTER B. GREENWOOD,
EDITH F. GOODALE,

School Board of
Kensington, N. H.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

CHARLES H. BICKFORD,
WALTER B. GREENWOOD,
EDITH F. GOODALE,

School Board of
Kensington, N. H.

BUDGET OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF KENSINGTON—1962 - 1963

	Expenditures 1961-1962	Adopted Budget 1962-1963
Administration:		
Salaries of District Officers	$ 322.00	$ 364.00
Superintendent's Salary	339.10	350.00
Tax for State Wide Supervision	310.00	322.00
Salaries of Other Admin. Personnel	595.75	568.10
Supplies and Expenses	293.37	284.00
Instruction:		
Teacher's Salaries	14,232.50	19,015.00
Books & Other Instruction Aids	377.74	400.00
Scholars' Supplies	640.30	600.00
Other Expenses of Instruction	325.78	300.00
Operation of School Plant:		
Salary of Janitor	1,030.00	1,020.00
Fuel	636.17	1,200.00
Water, Lights, Supplies & Expenses	544.68	650.00
Maintenance of School Plant:		
Repairs and Replacements	105.89	250.00
Auxiliary Activities:		
Health Supervision	590.24	770.00
Transportation, High School	1,752.00	1,800.00
Transportation, Elementary	4,148.00	4,200.00
Tuition, High School	19,384.50	22,800.00
Tuition, Elementary	9,384.50	10,125.00
Special Funds & Activities	335.40	200.00
School Lunch and/or Milk	240.36	300.00
Fixed Charges:		
Retirement & Social Security	1,031.22	1,375.00
Insurance, Treas. Bond, etc.	305.91	715.00
Total Current Expenses	**$56,925.41**	**$67,608.10**
Capital Outlay:		
Additions and Improvements	26,535.00	
New Equipment	968.05	250.00
Debt and Interest:		
Principal of Debt	2,000.00	5,200.00
Interest on Debt	1,412.00	2,466.40
TOTAL EXPENDITURE OR SCHOOL APPROPRIATION	**$87,840.46**	**$75,524.50**

BUDGET OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF KENSINGTON—1963 - 1964

Code		Adopted Budget 1962-1963	Proposed Budget 1963-1964
Administration:			
110.1	Salaries of District Officers	$ 314.00	$ 314.00
135.	Contracted Services	70.00	50.00
190.1	Other Expenses of Dist. Officers	68.00	100.00
Instruction:			
210.1	Salary of Principal	200.00	300.00
210.2	Salaries af Supervisors	875.00	975.00
210.3	Salaries of Teachers	17,790.00	18,400.00
215.	Textbooks	400.00	400.00
220.	Audiovisual & Reference Books	60.00	100.00
230.	Teaching Supplies	600.00	650.00
235.	Contracted Services for Instruction	175.00	200.00
290.	Other Expenses for Instruction	130.00	125.00
Attendance:			
310.	Salary of Attendance Officer	12.00	12.00
Health Services:			
435.	Contracted Services for Health	60.00	70.00
490.	Supplies	10.80	10.00
535.	Transportation	6,000.00	6,000.00
Operation of School Plant:			
610.	Janitor Salaries	1,020.00	1,400.00
630.	Janitor Supplies	300.00	300.00
640.	Fuel	1,200.00	1,000.00
645.	Utilities	435.00	1,000.00
Maintenance of Plant:			
735.	Contracted Services for Maintenance	250.00	250.00
Fixed Charges:			
850.2	Teachers' Retirement	903.26	986.00
850.3	F.I.C.A.	382.15	428.00
855.	Insurance	715.00	625.00
School Lunch and/or Milk:			
975.1	Federal Monies	300.00	300.00
1267.	New Equipment	250.00	245.00
Debt Service:			
1370.	Principal of Debt	5,200.00	5,200.00
1371.	Interest on Debt	2,466.40	2,311.20
Outgoing Transfer Accounts:			
1477.1	Tuition	32,925.00	39,225.00
1477.3	Dist. Share of Sup. Union Expense	1,808.09	1,949.98
1477.4	Tax for State-Wide Supervision	322.00	342.00
1477.9	Other In-State Expenditures	282.80	422.00
TOTAL OR PROPOSED SCHOOL APPROPRIATION		**$75,524.50**	**$83,690.18**

1962 - 1963 SCHOOL BUDGET — Continued

RECEIPTS:

	Receipts 1961-1962	Adopted Budget 1962-1963
Balance (actual or estimate)	$ 1,757.47	$ 1,808.54
State Aid - Foundation	2,780.32	4,044.32
School Building	640.68	1,466.40
Federal Aid - School Lunch or Mlik	240.36	
P.L. 874	232.00	425.00
National Education Defense Act	300.00	
Balance 1960-61 Appropriation	* 4,818.01	
Other	863.25	
Total Receipts	**$11,632.09**	**$ 7,744.26**
District Assessment	51,909.86	67,780.24
TOTAL APPROPRIATION VOTED BY SCHOOL DISTRICT	**$63,541.95**	**$75,524.50**

* $32.59-advance 1962-63 appropriation included

1963 - 1964 SCHOOL BUDGET — Continued

RECEIPTS:

	Adopted Budget 1962-1963	Proposed Budget 1963-1964
Balance (actual or estimate)	$1,775.95	
State Aid - Foundation	4,004.32	
School Building	1,466.40	
Federal Aid - School Lunch or Milk	300.00	300.00
P.L. 874	1,685.00	
National Defense Education Act	121.50	122.50
Total Receipts	**9,353.17**	
District Assessment	67,812.83	
TOTAL APPROPRIATION VOTED OR TO BE VOTED BY DISTRICT	**$75,524.50**	**$83,690.18**

SCHOOL BOARD REPORT OF EXPENDITURES

1961 - 1962

Administration:		
Salaries of District Officers:		
Horace Gourley	$100.00	
Charles Bickford	60.00	
Richard Batchelder	60.00	
Parker Blodgett	80.00	
Lucy Blodgett	8.00	
Harold Bodwell, Jr.	6.00	
Leslie Briggs	8.00	
		$322.00
Superintendent's Salary		339.10
Statewide Supervision:		
N. H. State Treasurer	$310.00	
Salaries of Other Adm. Per.	571.75	
Christine Yardley (census)	12.00	
Hubert Schweizer, Jr. (Truant Officer)	12.00	
		905.75
Supplies and Expenses:		
Exeter School District	$111.64	
Richard Neibling	106.43	
Horace Gourley	15.00	
N. H. State Treasurer	1.00	
Edson C. Eastman Co., Inc.	20.45	
N. H. School Boards Assoc.	15.00	
Parker Blodgett	6.60	
Kensington Fire Dept.	3.25	
Squamscott Press	10.00	
Percy Dunn	4.00	
		293.37

Teachers' Salaries:

(Internal Revenue)	$2,163.00	
(Teachers Retirement)	565.80	
(Social Security)	436.31	
N. H. and Vt. Hosp. Service	71.40	
Esther Prescott	3,298.00	
Marion Holmstrom	3,310.06	
Elizabeth Lambert	3,288.86	
Eleanor Henry	417.34	
Regenia Matthews	261.10	
Dorothy Jacobs	256.73	
Anita Lagasse	99.37	
Rachel Rosencrantz	14.53	
Elizabeth Lambert (Adv. Study)	50.00	
		14,232.50

Books and Other Instructional Aids:

American Book Company	$3.35	
Ginn and Company	60.83	
Follett Publishing Co.	22.02	
Allyn and Bacon	112.35	
American Book Company	80.28	
Chandler Publishing Company	4.68	
D. C. Heath and Company	5.22	
Row Peterson and Company	10.73	
Scott Foreman and Company	13.53	
Harcourt Brace and World	22.77	
Silver Burdett Company	41.98	
		377.74

Scholars Supplies:

Exeter School District	$23.65
J. L. Hammett	186.01
Scott Foreman and Co.	5.24
American Education Publisher	51.00
Ginn and Company	10.61

Milton Bradley Company	104.09	
Portsmouth Paper Co.	15.48	
Row Peterson Co.	42.00	
D. C. Heath and Co.	110.05	
Taft Business Machine, Inc.	20.00	
Webster Publishing Co.	55.14	
Harcourt Brace and World	17.05	
		640.30

Supplies and Other Expenses:

N. E. Tel. and Tel. Co.	$81.18	
Rhinehart System	150.00	
W.E.N.H. TV	22.00	
Exeter School District	12.60	
University of New Hampshire	60.00	
		325.78

Janitors Salary:

Percy Dunn	1,030.00

Fuel:

Callahan Oil Company Inc.	636.17

Water Lights, Supplies and Expenses:

Exeter and Hampton Elec. Co.	$308.16	
Percy Dunn	3.98	
Swift and Company	9.75	
Amesbury Hardware Co.	22.10	
Ocean Forest Products	36.60	
Leslie Briggs	4.10	
William M. Horner	104.00	
Portsmouth Paper Co.	56.04	
		544.68

Maintenance of School Plant:		
Callahan Oil Service	$9.75	
William M. Lannan	20.00	
James H. Morgan	41.90	
Paris Manufacturing Co.	18.46	
Amesbury Hardware Co.	6.95	
Percy Dunn	.45	
J. L. Hammett Co.	4.88	
Smith's Fire Equipment	3.50	
		105.89
Health Supervision:		
Exeter Clinic	$30.00	
Exeter School District	4.39	
School Nurses	529.60	
Portsmouth Rehabilitation Center	26.25	
		590.24
Transportation:		
Marshall Transportation Co.		
High School	$1,752.00	
Elementary School	4,148.00	
		5,900.00
Tuition:		
High School	$19,384.50	
Junior High	9,384.50	
		28,769.00
Special Activities:		
School Milk Reimbursement	240.36	
Retarded Class	335.40	
		575.76

New Hampshire Retirement:		
Superintendent's Nurses & Clerks		1,031.22
Insurance, Bonds and Expenses:		
Charles R. Eastman	$115.76	
The DeMeritt Agency	10.00	
Perkins and Prescott Agency	180.15	
		305.91
Additions and Improvements:		26,535.00
New Equipment:		
American Playground Device Co.	$255.67	
Horace Gourley	50.00	
Ben's Photo Shop	600.00	
Wentworth Lumber Co.	62.38	
		968.05
Debt and Interest:		;
Payment on Bond	$2,000.00	
Interest Payment on Bond	260.00	
Exeter Banking Company (Bond Interest)	1,152.00	
		3,412.00
Total Expenditures		$87,840.46
*Playground Fund as of August 21, 1962:		$236.46

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

Fiscal Year July 1, 1961 to June 30, 1962

Cash on hand July 1, 1961		
(Treasurer's Bank Balance)		$1,757.47
Current Appropriation	$56,760.46	
Received from State Treasurer		
State Funds	3,771.96	
Federal Funds	772.36	
Received from all other sources	97.80	
Total Receipts		$61,402.58
Total Amount Available for Fiscal year (Bal. & Receipts)		$63,160.05
Less School Board Orders Paid		$61,351.51
Balance on Hand June 30, 1962 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)		$1,808.54

PARKER M. BLODGETT,

District Treasurer

July 12, 1962

PLAYGROUND FUND

Cash on hand July 1, 1961	$219.55
Total Receipts	0.00
Total Amount Available	$219.55
School Board Orders Paid	0.00
Balance on Hand June 30, 1962	$219.55

PARKER M. BLODGETT,

District Treasurer

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Kensington of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1962 and find them correct in all respects.

LESLIE C. BRIGGS,

Auditor

July 16, 1962

KENSINGTON SCHOOL DISTRICT BONDS

$32,000.00 @ 2%

Payable at Exeter Banking Company

June 1, 1952	$32,000.00	$320.00	$320.00
Dec. 1, 1952	32,000.00	320.00	2,320.00
June 1, 1953	30,000.00	300.00	300.00
Dec. 1, 1953	30,000.00	300.00	2,300.00
June 1, 1954	28,000.00	280.00	280.00
Dec. 1, 1954	28,000.00	280.00	2,280.00
June 1, 1955	26,000.00	260.00	260.00
Dec. 1, 1955	26,000.00	260.00	2,260.00
June 1, 1956	24,000.00	240.00	240.00
Dec. 1, 1956	24,000.00	240.00	2,240.00
June 1, 1957	22,000.00	220.00	220.00
Dec. 1, 1957	22,000.00	220.00	2,220.00
June 1, 1958	20,000.00	200.00	200.00
Dec. 1, 1958	20,000.00	200.00	2,200.00
June 1, 1959	18,000.00	180.00	180.00
Dec. 1, 1959	18,000.00	180.00	2,180.00
June 1, 1960	16,000.00	160.00	160.00
Dec. 1, 1960	16,000.00	160.00	2,160.00
June 1, 1961	14,000.00	140.00	140.00
Dec. 1, 1961	14,000.00	140.00	2,140.00
June 1, 1962	12,000.00	120.00	120.00
June 1, 1962	12,000.00	120.00	120.00
Dec. 1, 1962	12,000.00	120.00	2,120.00
June 1, 1963	10,000.00	100.00	100.00
Dec. 1, 1963	10,000.00	100.00	2,100.00
June 1, 1964	8,000.00	80.00	80.00
Dec. 1, 1964	8,000.00	80.00	2,080.00
June 1, 1965	6,000.00	60.00	60.00
Dec. 1, 1965	6,000.00	60.00	2,060.00
June 1, 1966	4,000.00	40.00	40.00
Dec, 1, 1966	4,000.00	40.00	2,040.00
June 1, 1967	2,000.00	20.00	20.00
Dec. 1, 1967	2,000.00	20.00	2,020.00

KENSINGTON SCHOOL DISTRICT BONDS

$64,000.00 @ 3.6%

Payable at Exeter Banking Company

June 1, 1962	$64,000.00	$1,152.00	$1,152.00
Dec. 1, 1962	64,000.00	1,152.00	4,352.00
June 1, 1963	60,800.00	1,094.40	1,094.40
Dec. 1, 1963	60,800.00	1,094.40	4,294.40
June 1, 1964	57,600.00	1,036.80	1,036.80
Dec. 1, 1964	57,600.00	1,036.80	4,236.80
June 1, 1965	54,400.00	979.20	979.20
Dec. 1, 1965	54,400.00	979.20	4,179.20
June 1, 1966	51,200.00	921.60	921.60
Dec 1, 1966	51,200.00	921.60	4,121.60
June 1, 1967	48,000.00	864.00	864.00
Dec. 1, 1967	48,000.00	864.00	4,064.00
June 1, 1968	44,800.00	806.40	806.40
Dec. 1, 1968	44,800.00	806.40	4,006.40
June 1, 1969	41,600.00	748.80	748.80
Dec. 1, 1969	41,600.00	748.80	3,948.80
June 1, 1970	38,400.00	691.20	691.20
Dec. 1, 1970	38,400.00	691.20	3,891.20
June 1, 1971	35,200.00	633.60	633.60
Dec. 1, 1971	35,200.00	633.60	3,833.60
June 1, 1972	32,000.00	576.00	576.00
Dec. 1, 1972	32,000.00	576.00	3,776.00
June 1, 1973	28,800.00	518.40	518.40
Dec. 1, 1973	28,800.00	518.40	3,718.40
June 1, 1974	25,600.00	460.80	460.80
Dec. 1, 1974	25,600.00	460.80	3,660.80
June 1, 1975	22,400.00	403.30	403.20
Dec. 1, 1975	22,400.00	403.20	3,603.20
June 1, 1976	19,200.00	345.60	345.60
Dec. 1, 1976	19,200.00	345.60	3,545.60
June 1, 1977	16,000.00	288.00	288.00
Dec. 1, 1977	16,000.00	288.00	3,488.00
June 1, 1978	12,800.00	230.40	230.40
Dec. 1, 1978	12,800.00	230.40	3,430.40
June 1, 1979	9,600.00	172.80	172.80
Dec. 1, 1979	9,600.00	172.80	3,372.80
June 1, 1980	6,400.00	115.20	115.20
Dec. 1, 1980	6,400.00	115.20	3,315.20
June 1, 1981	3,200.00	57.60	57.60
Dec. 1, 1981	3,200.00	57.60	3,257.60

BUILDING FUND REPORT

RECEIPTS

Bond Issue	$64,000.00	
Premium on bond issue	96.00	
Interest on deposits	505.78	
Sale of boiler and burner	375.00	
Sale of tank	25.00	
		$65,001.78

EXPENDITURES

Architect		$ 2,500.00	
Contractor		57,482.00	
Equipment			
Paris Mfg. Co.	$1,099.10		
Beckley-Cardy Co.	60.88		
The Curtain Shop	262.80		
Portsmouth Paper Co.	15.00		
		1,437.78	
Electric fixtures		430.02	
H. B. Greenwood, sink cabinets		200.00	
Salisbury Hot Top		50.00	
Charles R. Eastman, insurance		280.50	
George R. Scammon, legal fees		375.00	
Total Expenditures			$62,755.30
Unexpended Balance, Feb. 1, 1963			$2,246.48

Money expended on school addition during 1961-62 school year was not audited.

SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE REPORT

In behalf of the Kensington School Board I would like to thank those who served on the building committee: Mrs. Esther Prescott, Richard Batchelder, Melvin Armstrong, Jr., Harold Bodwell, Jr., Herbert Eastman, Harold Smith, Horace Gourley and James Rosencrantz. Two members of the committee, Mrs. Edith Goodale and Walter Greenwood are now members of the School Board.

Many meetings have been held by this group in the past two years and it is their credit that the construction of the addition was properly supervised and made complete.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. BICKFORD,

School Board Chairman

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board of Kensington:

It is with pleasure that I submit my fifteenth annual report.

Two additions were made in the teaching staff for this year. Mrs. Alfreda Gallo was elected as the additional teacher to teach Grade 2 and Mrs. Virginia Holder was chosen as the additional school nurse for the Supervisory Union.

The staff for 1962-1963 follows:

Mrs. Esther Prescott, Principal, Grades 5-6
Mrs. Marion Holmstrom, Grades 3-4
Mrs. Alfreda Gallo, Grade 2
Miss Elizabeth Lambert, Grade 1
Mrs. Eleanor Henry, Music
Mrs. Regenia Matthews, Art
Miss Mary Shea, Head School Nurse
Miss Gemma Jean, Assistant School Nurse
Mrs. Virginia Holder, Assistant School Nurse
Mr. Harold Matava, Handwriting

This is an experienced and dedicated staff.

The addition to the school was completed so that school opened on schedule in September. It provides the facilities and space which should take care of the school plant needs for many years to come. I believe the citizens of the town are to be congratulated for providing these fine facilities for the young people to use so that they may have the best possible educational opportunities while in the elementary school.

The tuition rates for 1963-1964 as announced by the Exeter School Board after approval by the State Board of Education are as follows:

$475 for senior high students which is the same rate as for last year.

$405 for junior high students which is an increase of $30.

These rates are based on the estimated per pupil costs for 1962-1963 plus the 2% rental charge of $22.17.

The additional school nurse has made it possible to give the usual health examinations and also to provide a health education program as well. One of the nurses spends a certain amount of time per week in each school in addition to being on call always in case of an emergency. A Health Committee consisting of a representative from each school district in the Supervisory Union was formed last spring and it meets regularly with the nurses to advise them and to determine needed policies for the school health program. We now have one of the better programs in the state.

A part of this report is devoted to a statement by Mr. Frederick King, Teacher Consultant for Supervisory Union No. 16, who replaced Mr. Donald Elsemore last August. He outlines some of the work which he is doing in his role as supervisor of elementary education. He reports as follows:

It has been my pleasure to begin work this school year in the area as teacher consultant. I have found the first few months very interesting, and I feel also a sense of belonging in the way teachers have accepted me as one of the "educational family".

Probably the chief concern of the teacher consultant is instructional improvement. Education has many demands placed upon it. The modern space age and educational reserch have constantly produced proposed changes on what we teach and how we teach it. There must always be a continued evaluation of what we can use of the new, and what is worth keeping of the old. We never can stand still. Education, like any other profession, is constantly looking for better ways to achieve more as we work with the girls and boys of this area.

A program of instructional improvement is only as good as those involved. Any program's worth can be measured by the desire of each worker to bring to the job the best he has to offer. I have found excellent cooperation from all the teachers as we examine what we are doing, and look ahead to what we need to change.

My role this first semester has been chiefly one of getting acquainted with the schools and their staffs. I have tried to make frequent visits to the classrooms in order to view the teaching process, and to familiarize myself with teachers and pupils. By careful analysis of what is happening in the classroom, ideas for working with teachers can be gathered.

Other techniques that I have used include the individual conference. The conference is an exchange of thinking regarding the many plases of eaching children. I would hope these conferences would help in encouraging the teacher toward future professional growth and in reaching for continued improvement of teaching skills.

Group meetings have been held. I feel teachers should have a share in the responsibility for building philosophy and establishing the instructional program of the

school. In these meetings we talk over local school problems and exchange ideas toward their solutions.

Each month I have released a bulletin. It is usually two pages long and gives concrete ideas that the teacher may use in her classroom. I also try to include suggestions on free and inexpensive materials that are available for classhoom use.

The teaching demonstration by the consultant of new methods and materials has also been utilized. This method focuses attention upon one special skill in an actual classroom situation. The teacher observes this, and later we can exchange views on its value.

These, then, are some of the ways I have used as consultant and teacher work together in the important task of helping children learn. Throughout this report three words stand out: growth, improvement, and achievement. These are verbal symbols used to express what I am trying to do as I seek to do service for and with the teachers of this area.

The Parent-Teacher Association continues its interest in the school program.

I call your attention to the reports and tables which follow.

I express my sincere appreciation to the citizens, the members of the School Board and to the teachers for thier continued support and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND A. HOYT,
Superintendent,
Supervisory Union No. 16

January 18, 1963
Kensington, New Hampshire

REPORT OF
SUPERVISORY UNION No. 16 CLASS

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Supervisory Union No. 16 Class has a current enrollment of 10 boys and 4 girls ranging in chronological age from nine plus to fourteen plus. The academics have a grade achievement from first into low sixth.

This year much effort is being placed on channeling the children into programs with peer groups through educational TV, lectures, grade entertainments, physical education, etc.

Boy Scout Troup No. 323 is very active, continuing under the able guidance of Dr. Frederick Pitchforth who comes each Thursday afternoon.

The entire class is benefitting by the lessons in weavgiven by Mrs. Howard Swain. From these lessons have come talks and demonstrations by the class to other students throughout the school.

Folk dancing with Mrs. Jean Tufts, an ever popular recreation, has proven its social and physical value and has become a part of the weekly schedule.

Extras plus the daily routines have shown the Union Class to be good contributors as well as excellent participants in the total school population.

Respectfully submitted,

MARIAN R. WEBSTER

Exeter. N. H.
January 21, 1963

SCHOOL HEALTH REPORT

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Although there is much to be done in school health services, some accomplishments can be reported.

With the coming of the third nurse on a school union basis, we have been able to set a day and time to visit each school. More time has been made available to set up procedures for remedial handicaps, such as vision and hearing problems, more home visits made, time available for teacher conferences.

Another accomplishment has been in the field of health education. Wherever routine work has been completed, such as in hearing and vision tests, we were able to follow on with a program of talks, film strips, movies, demonstration of health and safety topics. This has been met with approval of teachers, pupils and parents. There is much to be done in this field but at least a start has been made.

The needs still unmet in health services are:

1. Dental programs for low income groups.
2. Child Guidance Clinics

Although the above services are needed the one that affects the school as well as the individual child and his family the most is the emotionally disturbed child.The numbers that fall into this group are increasing at an alarming rate. Some areas have found it necessary to start their own services for these children either in the schools or in their communities. We in Union No. 16 are

in as great a need as any other area. The help we can get is scattered and wholly inadequate. Yet the child with an emotional problem can be quite distracting to the whole school as well as his or her own classroom.

There is a glimmer of hope, at present still far over the horizon, that some day we in Union No. 16 can obtain such services through a contemplated family service agency or by buying services from neighboring areas where such services are in the process of being formed.

We feel convinced that a full school year of nursing services with a staff of three will bring increased benefits to the individual school as well as the Union as a whole.

We extend our thanks to all - parents, teachers, organizations, that have helped us in carrying out school health services during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY G. SHEA R.N.

GEMMA R. JEAN R.N.

VIRGINIA D. HOLDER R.N.

School Nurses

Kensington, N. H.

January 24, 1963

REPORT OF THE ART SUPERVISOR

To the Superintendent of Schools:

The Art Program is designed to give training in manual dexterity, to develop aesthetic judgment, and to give knowledge and training in the fundamentals of Art, such as color, form, line, perspective, pictorial composition, lettering, anatomy.

The projects covered training and experiences in as many media as possible. Some of these were cut paper, crayons, gouache, finger paint, clay, and papier mache.

An excellent mural using paint and cut paper was made in the Second Grade. The Fifth and Sixth Grades modeled three-dimension relief maps in clay, which were used as bases for papier mache shells. They will also make whatever scenery is necessary for the coming operetta in the Spring. All have grown in their ability to express themselves artistically.

At this time, I wish to thank all my students for their enthusiastic cooperation, as well as the teachers and the parents who have helped to create the rich and valuable experiences of the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

REGENIA P. MATTHEWS

Kensington, N.H.

January 16, 1963

REPORT OF THE MUSIC SUPERVISOR

To the Superintendent of Schools:

During the year 1962 the school pupils had the opportunity of participating in a variety of musical experiences, including use of rhythm band instruments, the playing of tonettes and the auto-harp, music appreciation through records, participation in various rhythms, folk dancing and square dancing, singing in unison and in parts and learning the fundamentals of music.

It is hoped that these musical experiences will stimulate each pupil's interest in music.

The pupils of the first four grades took part in a musical program at the Memorial Day Exercises in the Town Hall.

A Christmas Assembly was held on December 21, at which time the students of each room presented a short program for the others. Carol singing and folk dancing were enjoyed.

An operetta is being planned for sometime this spring.

In closing, I wish to thank Mr. Hoyt, Mr. King, the members of the School Board, the P. T. A., the teachers and the parents for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

ELEANOR HENRY

Kensington, N. H.
January 21, 1963

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1963 - 1964

School Opens - Sept. 4 (Wed.)		
Closes - Dec. 20 (Fri.)	74 days	16 weeks
Opens - Jan. 6 (Mon.)		
Closes - Feb. 21 (Fri.)	35 days	7 weeks
Opens - March 2 (Mon.)		
Closes - April 24 (Fri.)	40 days	8 weeks
Opens - May 4 (Mon.)		
Closes - June 19 (Fri.)	35 days	7 weeks
	184 days	38 weeks

No School Days:

October 25 - NHEA Convention

November 11 - Veteran's Day

November 28 and 29 - Thanksgiving Recess

SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY 1961 - 1962

Exeter	$4,630.60
East Kingston	308.25
Greenland	661.00
Kensington	339.10
Newfields	363.05
Stratham	548.00
State's share	2,500.00
	$9,350.00

TEACHER CONSULTANT'S SALARY 1961 - 1962

Exeter	$2,704.00
East Kingston	180.00
Greenland	386.00
Kensington	198.00
Newfields	212.00
Stratham	320.00
State's share	2,500.00
	$6,500.00

TABLE I

KENSINGTON PUPILS

Total Enrollment January 1, 1963

Grades		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Kensington		27	16	16	6	17	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	99
St. Michael's		0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Retarded Class	3													
Exeter High School		0	0	0	0	0	0	12	18	11	17	10	10	78
Phillips Exeter Acad.		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Totals	3	27	17	17	6	18	17	12	18	11	18	10	10	184
1962 Comparisons	3	19	18	8	18	18	11	17	11	17	11	10	8	169

TABLE II

Statistics for Ten Years Ending June 30, 1962

School Year	Weeks	Boys	Girls	Total Pupils	Ave. Attend.	Ave. Absence	Ave. Membership	Percent of Attend.	Tardiness Cases	Visits of Supt.
1952-53	38	23	29	61	58	2	60	95	3	51
1953-54	38	37	36	73	67	3	70	95	13	46
1954-55	38	38	29	67	62	4	66	95	8	38
1955-56	38	38	35	73	64	6	70	91	7	50
1956-57	38	37	36	73	65	4	69	94	24	63
1957-58	38	44	41	85	74	6	80	92	28	60
1958-59	38	49	43	92	83	5	87	94	38	63
1959-60	38	48	44	92	83	4	87	95	47	52
1960-61	38	44	45	89	81	5	86	94	51	45
1961-62	38	46	48	94	83	4	87	95	18	51

TABLE III

Perfect Attendance for Entire Year 1961-1962

Deborah Aucoin
Harold Bragg
Barbara Brown
Kathie Brown
Arthur Chapman
Daniel Chapman
Christine Grayson
Joy Jacobs
William Kuegel
Lorraine Palmer
Anne Rosencrantz
Daniel Wilbur

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF KENSINGTON FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1962

Date, 1962		Name of Child	Sex	Con.	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan.	1	Carole Ann Tuttle	F	L	Chester A. Tuttle	Constance A. Cote	Exeter, N. H.	Exeter, N. H.
Feb.	5	Susan Marie O'Malley	F	L	Robert G. O'Malley	Martha R. Wiggin	Exeter, N. H.	Salem, Mass.
Feb.	17	Gary Scott Irvine	M	L	Robert E. Irvine, Sr.	Beverly I. Stacy	Newburyport, Mass.	Manchester, N. H.
Feb.	26	Toby Arthur Hale	M	L	Winthrop J. Hale, Sr.	Lorraine Plourde	Kensington, N. H.	Madawaska, Maine
Mar.	1	Elizabeth Jane Cannon	F	L	James E. Cannon, Jr.	Suzanne Owen	Hartford, Conn.	Concord, N. H.
Mar.	6	Young	M	L	Elbridge S. Young	Lolita M. Small	Fremont, N. H.	Seabrook, N. H.
Mar.	13	Colleen Marie Buchanan	F	L	Paul E. Buchanan	Barbara A. Sousa	Lynn, Mass.	Winthrop, Mass.
Mar.	31	Maureen Anne Wheeler	F	L	Frank C. Wheeler	Gail A. Silveira	Exeter, N. H.	Exeter, N. H.
May	30	Betty Ann M. Schrempf	F	L	Brownell Schrempf	Doris M. Brown	Newburyport, Mass.	Newburyport, Mass.
May	30	Becky Carmen Moore	F	L	Robert Moore, Sr.	Gertrude E. Bowe	Malden, Mass.	Newburyport, Mass.
July	5	Sallyann Costello	F	L	Donald G. Costello	Diana H. Cooper	Brooklyn, N. Y.	Exeter, N. H.
July	29	Timothy David Quirk	M	L	William Quirk, Sr.	Sally Ann Lambert	Manchester, N. H.	Norwich, Conn.
Sept.	1	Jane Marie Plourde	F	L	Joseph J. Plourde	Evelyn P. Pelletier	Madawaska, Maine	Amesbury, Mass.
Sept.	1	Janet Marie Plourde	F	L	Joseph J. Plourde	Evelyn P. Pelletier	Madawaska, Maine	Amesbury, Mass.
Sept.	9	Brian Paul Buxton	M	L	William G. Buxton	Gail M. Simmons	Danvers, Mass.	Exeter, N. H.
Sept.	30	Roberta Maryea	F	L	Norman N. Maryea	Faith R. Palmer	Amesbury, Mass.	Exeter, N. H.
Dec.	16	Merl Wilson Fasth	M	L	Sanford Fasth	Virginia F. Wilson	Schenectady, N. Y.	Hazzard, Kentucky
Dec.	20	Beth Marie Mitchell	F	L	Leonard S. Mitchell	Gloria M. Marcey	N.B., Canada	Haverhill, Mass.

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DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF KENSINGTON FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1962

Date 1962		Name and Surname of Deceased	Age	Place of Birth	Sex	Con.	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan.	10	James Alfred Wiggins	68	Worcester, Mass.	M	W	Alfred Wiggins	Louisa Dahl
Jan.	14	Ada Carrick Keator	82	Philadelphia, Penn.	F	W	William C. Carrick	Lucretia Winslow
April	2	Helen Ross Webster	52	New York, N. Y.	F	M	Garret M. Ross	Freida Kuchenmeister
April	14	Luella A. Boyden	69	Seabrook, N. H.	F	M	George G. Locke	Mima L. Dow
May	17	Marcia Priscilla York	78	Kensington, N. H.	F	S	John W. York	Marcia Godfrey
Aug.	14	Agnes Brown	83	Chester, N. H.	F	W	George Stevenson	Mary Brown
Sept.	15	Milan Emery Beckman	89	Seabrook, N. H.	M	W	Robert Beckman	Caroline Dow
Sept.	16	Elsie Blanche Shaw	91	Kingston, Illinois	F	W	Joseph Bullock	Helen Sayles
Nov.	3	Elizabeth B. Comfort	64	Lancaster, Pennsylvania	F	M	Harry Barthalomew	Hannah Hunter
Dec.	11	Ruth Markland Talbot	57	Poquage, New York	F	W	Harry Murkland	Henrietta Jones

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MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN TOWN OF KENSINGTON FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1962

Date 1962	Place of Marriage	Name & Surname of Groom & Bride		Place of Birth of Each	Name of Parents	Name, Residence, Official Station of Person by Whom Married
Feb. 17	Kensington, N. H.	Stephen John Adrian Joanna Katherine Connolly	21 W 1 18 W 1	Boston, Mass. Winchester, Mass.	John B. Adrian Mildred M. Russian Joseph M. Connolly Florence M. Cowham	D. Everett Palmer Justice of the Peace Kensington, N. H.
Mar. 10	Exeter, N. H.	Richard Elliott Welsh Muriel Jean Mason	31 W 1 24 W 1	Exeter, N. H. Melrose, Mass.	Joseph F. Welsh Edith G. Brewer Arthur E. Mason Dorothy M. Ring	Rev. Sanford Fasth Ordained Minister Kensington, N. H.
May 27	Brentwood, N. H.	Donald Roy Buxton Patricia Ann Sampson	26 W 1 20 W 1	Massachusetts New Hampshire	Horace F. Buxton Frances L. McNeil George Sampson Ruth A. Hartford	Rev. Louis E. Watson Baptist Clergyman Brentwood, N. H.
June 16	Kensington, N. H.	Philip Richard Dionisi Anne Chicquita LaCombe	22 W 1 21 W 1	Boston, Mass. Salem, Mass.	Philip J. Dionisi Josephine Ragusa Joseph P. LaCombe Maria Fafara	D. Everett Palmer Justice of the Peace Kensington, N. H.
June 30	Kensington, N. H.	Ernest Edward Mitchell Gladys Etta Fortier	63 W 3 47 W 2	N. B., Canada Ipswich, Mass.	Thaddeus Mitchell Eliza James Elmer E. Lord Laura E. Hebb	D. Everett Palmer Justice of the Peace Kensington, N. H.
June 30	Kensington, N. H.	Harry Frederick Adams Evelyn Katherine Jackson	76 W 2 71 W 2	Minneapolis, Minn. Portland, Maine	Charles F. Adams Marion Orr Albert M. Cobb Sarah E. Spear	D. Everett Palmer Justice of the Peace Kensington, N. H.

							Charles Greenwood	D. Everett Palmer
July	13	Kensington, N. H.	Richard Wayne Greenwood	26	W	2	Portland, Maine	Edna Burnham	Justice of the Peace
			Valerie Jean Sargent	22	W	2	Waterbury, Conn.	Robert E. Lowery	Kensington, N. H.
								Geraldine Staples	
								Adelbert Buzzell	Rev. Robert P. Soucy
July	15	Amesbury, Mass.	John G. Buzzell	22	W	1	Haverhill, Mass.	Eliza. Charbonneau	Priest
			Pauline J. Pare	20	W	1	Amesbury, Mass.	Maurice Pare	Amesbury, Mass.
								Gertrude Surprenant	
								John I. Howard	Rev. Sanford Fasth
July	18	Kensington, N. H.	William Daniel Howard	25	W	1	Newburyport, Mass.	Evelyn Larkin	Ordained Minister
			Patricia Frances Simon	19	W	1	Exeter, N. H.	William J. Simon	Kensington, N. H.
								Geneva F. Brown	
								Herman Edmondson	D. Everett Palmer
Aug.	25	Kensington, N. H.	Jack Edmondson	37	W	2	England	Edith Holmes	Justice of the Peace
			Lisa Bryant	26	W	2	Austria	George Fleischer	Kensington, N. H.
								Fredericka Mann	
								Edward Hale	Rev. Elizabeth Walton
Aug.	25	Seabrook, N. H.	William Francis Hale	21	W	1	Kensington, N. H.	Evelyn E. Cord	Ordained Minister
			Judy Ann Follansbee	16	W	1	Portsmouth, N. H.	Edwin Follansbee	Seabrook, N. H.
								Agnes L. VanHorn	
								Chester Waskiewivz	D. Everett Palmer
Aug.	31	Kensington, N. H.	Chester S. Waskiewicz	24	W	1	Worcester, Mass.	Katherine Morgan	Justice of the Peace
			Cynthia Jean Fish	21	W	1	Exeter, N. H.	R. Milton Fish	Kensington, N. H.
								Ada M. Potter	
								Roy B. Cole	Rev. Sanford Fasth
Sept.	30	Kensington, N. H.	George Alexander Cole	29	W	1	Exeter, N. H.	Mary E. Parsons	Ordained Minister
			Nancy Nellie Saarinen	22	W	1	Norwood, Mass.	Toivo G. Saarinen	Kensington, N. H.
								Nellie M. Grigun	
								Onevil Poisson	Rev. John McSweeney
Nov.	10	Exeter, N. H.	Normand Armand Poisson	23	W	1	Amesbury, Mass.	Helen Pouliot	Catholic Priest
			Judith Ann Bernier	22	W	1	Exeter, N. H.	Norman J. Bernier	Exeter, N. H.
								Helen Lipsky	

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Nov. 11	Kensington, N. H.	Robert Smart Evans Barbara Irene Sargent	25 W 1 21 W 1	Exeter, N. H. Newburyport, Mass.	Arthur C. Evans Mildred A. Smart Ralph B. Sargent Tyyne Koylion	Rev. Sanford Fasth Ordained Minister Kensington, N. H.
Dec. 16	Kensington, N. H.	Harold R. Winter, Jr. Sophia Squires	45 W 2 50 W 2	Massachusetts Canada	Harold R. Winter Alice Groe Moses Penny Jessie L. Delaney	D. Everett Palmer Justice of the Peace Kensington, N. H.
Dec. 21	Kensington, N. H.	James Norman Nitkowski Gloria Ruth Shorey	22 W 1 19 W 1	Buffalo, N. Y. Rutland, Vermont	Anthony Nitkowski Dorothy Kwiatkowski James W. Shorey Marie Skiffington	D. Everett Palmer Justice of the Peace Kensington, N. H.
Dec. 24	Kensington, N. H.	Kenneth Bruce Buxton Patricia Ann Vezina	25 W 2 22 W 2	Danvers, Mass. Manchester, N. H.	Horace F. Buxton Frances L. McNeil Walter J. Rondeau Margaret S. Foote	D. Everett Palmer Justice of the Peace Kensington, N. H.

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